## [Wood to Council.]

Original.

Frederick County Maryland

Gentlemen: Whereas Mr Joshua Diloplane an Ensign of Captain John Cormacks Company of Militia is not able to serve, and having resigned, the Company made choice of Mr George Brown for ensign in his stead, and as Mr John Cock 1st Lieutenant and Peter Snider Ensign both of Captain Jacob Snodenberrys Company have moved out of the parts, the Company have made a new choice, and have chosen Mr Frederick Sours 1st Lieutenaut Mr Adam Morningstar 2d Lieutenant and Mr Michael Unger Ensign. I hereby Certify that the abovesaid Choice is made and that the Companys are satisfyed, it being done at our Battalion Meeting the 19th this Instant June, and myself present. You'l please to grant Commissions to the above named, Mr George Brown as Ensign of Captain John Cormacks Company, and likewise to Mr Frederick Sour 1st Lieutenant Mr Adam Morningstar 2d Lieutenant and Mr Michael Unger Ensign all of Captain Jacob Snodenberrys company and part of the 37th Battalion, and youl oblige Gentlemen your most obedient Hble Servt

June 22<sup>d</sup> 1776. Joseph Wood.

## [Dugan to Council.]

Original.

Gentl<sup>n</sup> Inclosed you have, Capt<sup>n</sup> Joseph Handys receipt for the Cargo shipped by me in the Schooner Three Sisters p<sup>r</sup> your orders the flour in my store, belonging to you we have again examined with Mr Laypole which we seem to find much better than I expected, as the hundred barrels we have baked has taken nearly all of that which was damaged, as while the 92 was discharging I kept constantly on the wharf & tryed all that I coud get the plugs out of the heads, and what I found any way much damaged put into the Bakehouse, I have likewise examined every Barrel of this 140, on board the Three Sisters, and am sure its all good, that vessel should been all filled with flour but the Capt" begd I would spare him the 40 Bls Bread in order to put in his fore hould, for he said if he was to fill all up with flour his vessell would have been too much by the head & considerably out of trim for sailing, I believe Mr Luxs 100 Bbs is very good & yet fresh, as to the bakeing am going on and picking out all the flour I find any way going, suppose I have now abot twenty thousand wt already baked, but shall be with you next Monday & advise you any other perticulars you may want to know, mean while I advise you to Mr Laypole who has taken all possible care in examining the flour bread bake house warehouse &c for your further information, and am in great haste as the bearer waits,

Your most obed<sup>t</sup> Hum<sup>1</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup> Cumberland Dugan